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Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

HE business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONGKONG AND SATURDAY, 24th. SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA-TION. Rules may be obtained on application.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at 31 PER CENT. per annum. Depositors may transfer at their option balances of \$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on HONGKONG VOLUNTEER FIXED DEPOSIT at 41 PER CENT. per

For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1891. II ONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL \$10,000,000. RESERVE FUND......\$ 6,300,000. RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$ \$10,000,000. PROP'TORS..... COURT OF DIRECTORS :-

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Hongeong-Interest Allowed. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per annum on the daily balance up to \$200,000. On Fixed Deposits.--For 6 months 31 per cent. per annum.

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6 % on LOANS against Shares with full 6 % on Advances against Goods in neutral 7% on Current Account Overdrafts.

7 % on Advances against Goods in private F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 10, 1891.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORISED CAPITAL£2,000,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL£580,000. LONDON:

Head Office.......40, Threadneedle Street. West End Office... 25, Cockspur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit, Buye and Solls Bills of Exchange. Issues Letters: of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to te had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: Fixed for 12 months, 42 percent. perannum. ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance. E. W. RUTTER, Manager.

Hongkong, August 19, 1891. 1362 THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL,....£1,000,000.

SUBSCRIEED CAPITAL,....£ 500,000. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. Court of Directors. I CHOW TUNG SHANG,

D. GILLIES, Esq. CHANKII SHAN, Esq. C. J. HIEST, Esq. W. WOTTON, Esq. A. B. McKean, Acting Chief Manager.

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Tong Kwei Slang, Esq. J. D. THORBURK Manager, pro. tem. The HEAD OFFICE now receives 5 cents; Third Class (for Chinese only),

money on deposit and makes advances on goods in Nentral godowns, and upon other asserities on terms to be had on applica-Hongkong, August 27, 1891.

Intimations.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. Scratch COMPETITION for SPOONS will take place at Kownoon, at 800 and 900 yards, on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant, at 2.45 p.m. Conditions 10 rounds and a sighting shot at each Range. Bisley (1890) positions and targets.

J. ANDERSON, Acting Hon. Secretary, H, K, R, A. Hongkong, October 13, 1891.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY. AMBULANCE CLASS.

OEYLON: W. M. SMITH & Co., THE MEERS of this OLASS will attend Aportheolasies Co., Colombo. The following DRILLS, ordered by

Surgeon CANTLIE :-SATURDAY, 17th....... o'clock. MONDAY, 19th......5.15 WEDNESDAY, 21st.....5,15 FRIDAY, 23rd..........5.15 Preparatory to Inspection by H.E. the Major-General Commanding, at 4 o'clock, UNIFORM for SATURDAY, 24th : BLUE

SERGE & HELMETS. By Order, W. C. A. NICHOLSON, Lieut., R.A., Adjutant H. K. Voltr. Arty. Hongkong, October 14, 1891.

NOTIFICATION.

THE DRILL SEASON of the above L Conrs will Commence on the 16th OCTOBER.

ARTILLERY.

Surgeon Canthie will attend at Head QUARTERS, FRIDAY EVENINGS, at 6 o'clock, to inspect any Gentlemen wishing to join.

Intending MEMBERS on passing Medical Examination will be enrolled and passed on to Recruit Drill at once. Any one who has previously been an

Efficient Memben of a Volunteer Corps will not be required to drill until November, but it will be to the advantage of all such New MRUBERS to enrol as early as

Expresses of Drills will be issued. By Order. W. C. A. NICHOLSON, Lieut., R.A. Adjutant H.K. Voltr. Arty.

Head Quarters, Hongkong, 12th October, 1891. OHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT

SILVER LOAN OF 1884 C. 4th DRAWING.

INTEREST DUE and DRAWN BONDS | Board & Lodging per day (1 person). of this LOAN will be PAYABLE at the Offices of the Componation on and after the 15th Instant. LIST OF DRAWN BONDS can be obtained on application to the Undersigned.

For the Hongrong & Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. Agents Issuing the Loan, F. DE BOVIS.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, October 14, 1891.

MAC'S AINE FINEST OLD VATTED SCOTCH WHISKY,

Of unsurpassed body and exquisite and 885 highly refined flavour. Price, \$10 per Case.

Sole Agent, JOHN D. BUTCHISON. Hongkong, October 30, 1890.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. TO AERATED WATER MANUFAC. TURERS AND OTHERS.

TOTICE is hereby given, that ALL N AERATED WATER BOTTLES and SYPHONS bearing the Conpany's NAME and TRADE MARK are its property solely, and that any Manufacturer using the same or any Person or Persons other than the Customers of the Firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against as the law directs.

A. H. MANCELL, Secretary. Hongkong, August 18, 1891. WATERBURY WATCH,

TOST ACCURATE AND RELIABLE TIME-KEEPER. SERIES E .- \$2.70 each. SERIES J. -- \$4.75 each.

Senies L. -\$4.75 each. LADIES, GENTLEMEN & CHILDREN.

A proportionate reduction for an order QUAN HOI CHUEN, for more than one dozen.

Inspection respectfully Solicited by THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHIA, Sole Agents in

> CHINA, JAPAN & COREA. TIME TABLE.

TONGKONG & KOWLOON FERRY -MORNING STAR. EVENING ETAR, and RISING STAR, running be- New issue 26 shares from 10th April to THE Tench Ordinary General MEETING tween Pedder's Wharf and Kowloon from 6 a.m. to 7.30 p.m. Night Service at the rate of 2/9 3d per share on the OLD at the OFFICES of the Undersigned, at 12

Fare-First Class, 10 cents; Second Class, For Monthly Tickets, apply to DORABJEE NOWROJEE.

Victoria Hotel. Hongkong, October 1, 1891.

Business Notices.

PHILIPPE & CANAUD AND SALE on OTHER 1st CLASS PACKERS.

A Full Stock of FRESH STORES always on Hand.

A REVISED PRICE LIST will be issued on 1st OCTOBER, 1891. Attention is called to the NEW SCALE OF PRICES.

PRICED LISTS and PASS-BOOKS sent, Post Free, to any address.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, September 26, 1891.

DLACK, GREY AND BROWN 'FELTS, TERAI HATS, SINGLE (ALL SHADES).

STRAW AND PITH HATS.

Hongkong, June 4, 1891. Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

IT! HTS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c, has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Horels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well vontilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious,

large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, PILLIARD and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Massie. DORABJEE & RING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

1,400 FEET ABOVE SEA LEVEL, TARIFF. 5.00 Sitting Room per day,..... 3.00 Extra Bedroom per day,..... 2.50 do. for married] 7.50 Bed and Breakfast, 2.50 Board & Lodging & month (1 person), 90.00 Breakfast,..... 0.75 couples (occupying 1 room), couples (occupying 1 room),] Extra Bedroom per month............ 45.00 Children by arrangement according to age. Sitting Room per month, 50.00 Special Terms for a week and from Saturday to Monday.

TRAM TICKETS supplied to VISITORS at reduced rates. For further Particulars, apply to The Secretary, 38 & 40, QUEEN'S CENTRAL. The Manager, MOUNT AUSTIN.

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FILLOSELLE SILKS. EMBROIDERY SILKS. CREWEL SILK. W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, October 15, 1891.

Intimations.

BOARD AND LODGING. TTACANCIES for GENTLEMEN

BOARDERS, at 79, WYNDHAM STREET. Apply MRS. SWANSTON.

Hongkong, September 5, 1891. SHANGHAI RACES. THE MESSAGERIES MARITIMES CIE. the OFFICE of the Society on and after that

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION Co.

WILL issue RETURN TICKETS to SHANGHAI by their STEAMERS luaving on or about the 13rm, 21st, and 27TH INSTANT and 4TH NOVEMBER, available for return by either Line and allowing of One Month's stay at Shanghai. FARES :-First Saloon, \$60.

Second ii \$40. Hongkorg, October 9, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTAL NA. VIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED, having declared an Interim DIVIDEND of 2 % per Annum on the 6 Months :--. (£18 shares from 1st January On the old to 10th March. £15 shares from 10th March to 30th June. £4 shares from 1st January to

10th April. shares. SHAREHOLDERS are liereby informed October instant. that DIVIDEND WARRANTS are being issued the 14th instant, at the Honekone and Instant, both days inclusive. SHANGHAI BANKING COMPORATION.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., 1947 L Bongkong, October 5, 1891. Hongkong, October 12, 1891.

Intimations. CANTON, LIMITED.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF NOTICE TO BHAREHOLDERS.

DIVIDEND of SIX DOLLARS and FIFTY 1721 A CENTS per Share for the year 1890 will be PAYABLE on MONDAY, the 12th Instant. WARRANTS may be had on application at

> By Order of the Board. W. J. SAUNDERS, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, October 10, 1891.

HONGKONG FOOTBALL CLUB. THE Annual General MEETING for the purpose of receiving the Committee's Report for the Last Season and electing the Committee and Officers of the Club for the ensuing Season will be held in the CRICKET CLUB, Pavilion, on FRIDAY, the 23rd October, at 6 p.m.

W. H. WALLACE, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, October 7, 1891. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. of SHAREHOLDERS will be held

every half an hour from 7.45 p.m. to 11.30 Shakes and 111d per share on the New o'Clock (Noon), on THURSDAY, the 22nd The Transfer BOOKS of the Company and will be Payable at the rate of 3/1 g on will be CLOSED from the 9th to the 22nd JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.

COMPANY, LIMITED, IN LIQUIDATION. SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

Auctions.

GREAT SALE OF FURNITURE

THE MARINBURK FURNITURE

HE Undersigned has been instructed by the Liquidator to offer FOR THURSDAY,

the 22nd October, 1891, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at CONNAUGHT HOUSE, Queen's Road,-The HANDSOME DRAWING ROOM SUITES in BROCATELLE, TAPESTRY, and

VELVET and MARBLE-TOF OCCASIONAL TABLES, CABINETS, DAVENPORTS, and Bou-DOIR FURNITURE. DINING ROOM SUITES in LEATHER | B.S. Selene, transhipped at Colombo. and Cane Sears. Round and Telescope and DINNER WAGGONS.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF OFFICE, HALL, and BEDROOM FURNITURE, all of this Company's well-known and substantial make. ONE HANDSOME WALNUT AMERICAN

FOLDING BEDSTEAD with Spring and HAIR MATTRESS and bevelled mirror front. This Sale is to be followed on SATUR-DAY, the 24th October, by a sale of the varied and Handsome Uphoestery Stock of TAPESTRY, VELVETS, PLUSH, and other COVERINGS; FRINGES, GIMPS, CORDS, BUT-The Furniture will be on view on Tuesday

and Wednesday, the 20th and 21st October. Catalogues may be obtained on application to the AUCTIONERE. F. RAPP, Zetland Street.

For Sale. FOR SALE.

Hongkong, October 14, 1891.

T KOBE, JAPAN.--A FIRST-CLASS A MILLINERY, DRAPERY, TAI-LORING AND GENERAL OUTFITTING BUSINESS-Liberal Terms. Full information will be Furnished to bona fide intending Purchasers on application, in the first instance, to

'B. C. D., Care Office of this Newspaper. 14th October, 1891.

To Let. THE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD. ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

TO LET. AT KOWLOON.

Fow HOUSES in KNUTSFORD

Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD. Hongkong, August 6, 1891. TO LET, IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

THE Whole or Part of PREMISES in CONNAUGHT HOUSE, occupied by the Marinburk Furniture Company, Limited. Suitable for Shops, Offices or Godown. Floor area 3,500 square feet. Rent moderate. Apply to THE LIQUIDATOR, 3, Beaconsfield Arcade.

Hongkong, September 19, 1891. Notices of Firms.

NOTIOE.

WE have This Day ESTABLISHED a BRANCH of our Firm in Amor, and have authorized Mr. FRANCIS CASS to Sign as Acent.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, October 10, 1891. CHINA AND JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

to Mr. W. STUART HARRISON. A. SANDFORD. Hongkong, September 26, 1891. 1849

T HAVE This Day HANDED OVER the

MANAGEMENT of the above Company

Notices to Consignees.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE. INHE Steamship Japan having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees carried. of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 19th Instant will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into Messes. N. Mody & Company's Godown. at Wanchai. No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 15, 1891. INDO-OHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND

SINGAPORE. THE Company's S.S. Chelydra, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods will be delivered from Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after the 12th Instant will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense into

No Fire Insurance will be effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, October 10, 1891.

Godowns at East Point.

Notices to Consignees.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ. JEDDAH, SUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO, PENANG & SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Orion having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of THE WANGHAI WAREHOUSE & STORAGE Co., LD. Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained. Consignoes wishing to receive their Goods in the Wharf are at liberty to do so.

This Vessel brings on Cargo :-From TRIESTE, ex s.s. Imperator, transhipped at BOMBAY. From CALCUTTA, ex No Claims will be admitted after the DINING TABLES, MARBLE-TOP SIDEBOARDS Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned BEFORE Noon, on the 22nd Inst., or they will NOT BE RECOGNIZED.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 22nd Instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, October 15, 1891.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S.S. HAVERTON, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their rick into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharf & Godown Company, at Kowloon, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the contrary be given before Noon. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 18th Inst. will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 18th Instant, or they will not be re-No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, October 11, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL AND

SINGAPORE. TERRACE, containing 5 ROOMS THE Company's S.S. Canfa having at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong. KONG & KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 17th Instant, or

they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 16th Instant. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 18th Instant, will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before

Noon To-day. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, October 12, 1891.

Steamers.

OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE The Co.'s Steamship Changsha,

J. E. Williams, Cm'der,

will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 28th Instant The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabinsare situated forward of the Engines.

the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Second-class Passengers are berthed in the

Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures

Agents. Hongkong, October 13, 1891. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship

Hankow, Captain WEST, will be despatched an above on or about WEDNESDAY, the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, October 14, 1891.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. STRAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON & PORTS OF CALL.

The Co.'s Steamship Kaisow,

G. L. Castle, Com'der,

will be despatched as above on or about the 10th November.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, October 13, 1891,

For Freight, apply to

Shipping.

Steamers.

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Co.'s Steamship Diamante. Captain GERARD, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, 17th Inst., at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

SHEWAN & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, October 15, 1891.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship

徐金春 Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SURZ. The Steamship Guy Mannering.

For Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

UNION LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Steamship

Collingham,
Capt. Warson, will be
despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 20th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously advertised.

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, October 15, 1891.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, SUEZ. PORT SAID,

CUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULE. RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. A. Orlando, will be despatched as above on

and Freight, apply to

PORTLAND LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR HONOLULU, VIOTORIA (B.C.) &

PORTS, also to INLAND and ATLASTIC Crriss, connecting at PORTLAND with the OREGON RAILWAY AND NAVIGATION COM-PANY, and Union Pacific RAILWAY).

The Steamship

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Adènts.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, October 6, 1891.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. Amer. Barque Emma T. Crowell,
Pendleton, Master, will load
here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

SHEWAN & Co.

OUTEN FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

NORTON & Co. Agents.

ANCE COMPANY OF HAY SURG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT INSURANCES to the

DUNN, MELBYE & Co.

Hongkong, October 12, 1891.

Captain Ford, will sail for the above Ports on or about 18th October, instead of as previously

Hongkong, October 12, 1891.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VÉNICE AND FIUME. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAIr

the 22nd Instant, at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, October 5, 1891.

PORTLAND (OREGON), VIA JAPAN PORTS. (Taking through Cargo to PACIFIC COAST

The Steamship Capt. EDWARDS, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 22nd Instant, at 8 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, October 13, 1891.

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. Glentarn,
Captain Glegg, will be
despatched as above on or about SATURDAY, the 24th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

Sailing Vessels.

For Freight, apply to Hongkong, October 15, 1891. insurances.

TITHE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT

Hongkong, July 15, 1887. THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUR-

extent of \$100,000 on First-class Risks at current rates. ...

Hongkong, September 19, 1891.

revenue during the current year is

penditure by \$250,000. But twice this

estimated to exceed the ordinary ex-

Mails. 🖥

Occidental & Oriental Steam Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN. THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND South america, and Europe, THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. GaelicTresday, October 20. Belgic.....TRURSDAY, Nov. 12. Oceanic Tuesday, Dec. 8.

THE Steamship GAELIC will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, on TUESDAY, 20th October, 1891, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama with Steamors from Shanghai and Japan Porta.

RATES OF PASSAGE. From Hongeone, First Class. To San Francisco, Vancouver, Victoria, Esquimault New Westminster, Port Town- > \$225.00 send, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, O.

To Liverpool and London\$325.00 To Havre and Hamburg......\$335.00 Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers.

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval. Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways.

Return Tickets.—First Class.—Prepaid return tickets to San Francisco will be issued at following rates :—

.....\$393.75 Time is reckened from date of issue to date of re-embarkation at San Francisco. Passengers, who have paid full fare, reambarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received day the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the at previous to sailing.

Consular Involces to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72. Queen's Road Central. J. S. VAN BUREN. Agent.

Hongkong, September 26, 1891. CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY'S ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, 1891. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.)

Hmpress of China | Tuesday | 10th Nov. Empress of India | Tuesday | 8th Dec. Empress of Japan | Tuesday | 5th Jan. TITHE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF CHINA. 5,900 tons, Captain A. TILLETT, sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 10th November, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, vid SHANG-HAI, INLAND SEA, KOBE and YOKO-

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| Winnipeg, Man | 275 | 413 | 48 |
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October 16, 1891 :-Marie, German steamer, from Canton. Taisang, British steamer, from Canton. Asagao, Japanese str., 1,521, H. Selck, Nagasaki October 11, Coal. -- Mirsu Bishi COLLIERY.

Diamante, British eteamer, 514, J. C. Gerard, Manila October 13, General,-SHEWAN & Co. Triumph, German steamer, 674, J. Bruhn

Pakhoi October 13, and Hoihow 15, General. | For AMOY & MANILA. --Eduard Schellhase & Co. Namoa, British steamer, 868, Goddard.

STEAMSHIP Co. Plover, British gunboat, 755, Capt. L. K. Bell, Foochow October 14. Detta, French steamer, 717, Abbal, Haiphong Oct. 13, General -- Messageries Maritimes.

Chingtu, British steamer, 1,459, A. Hunt. Sydney September 24, Coal and General,-BUTTIRFIELD & SWIRE.

DEPARTURES. October 16:-Activ, for Hoihow.

Hebe, for Bangkok. Formosa. for Swatow. Tai Yick, for Canton. Fidelio, for Canton. Marie, for Newchwang. Kwang Lee, for Shanghai. Taisang, for Foochow and Shanghai. Wuotan, for Singapore.

CLEARED. Harvard, for New York. Chilydra, for Singapore and Calcutta. Somdetch Phra Nang, for Bangkok.

ARRIVED. Per Diamante, from Manila, 2 Europeans. and 26 Chinese. Per Asagao, from from Nagasaki, 3 Japa-

Per Namoa, from Swatow, 1 European, and 69 Chinese. Per Delta, from Haiphong, Mr Van Haars, and 15 Chinese. Per Chingto, from Sydney, Messrs Glen, Arthur, Coats, Courier, Blanchud, Luce, Mr and Mrs White, Mrs George and daughters, and 85 Ohinese.

DEPARTED. Per Activ, for Hollow, 20 Chinese. Per Formosa, for Swatow, 50 Chinese, Per Taisang, for Shanghai, Mrs A. K Per Kwang Lee, for Shanghai, 110 Chi-

Per Wuotan, for Singapore, 400 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Chelydra, for Singapore, 387 Chinese.

European, and 10 Chinese,

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Date of Leaving. Agents. Destination Vessels. Bremen & Ports of Call Bayern (s)..... Norddeutscher Lloyd. Oct. 24, at 3 p.m. Gibb, Livingston & Co. Oct. 22, at 3 p.m. Arnhold, Karberg &Co. About Nov. 10. London & Ports of Call Kaisow (s) Butterfield & Swire ... October 17. London, v. Suez Canal Palamed (8)...... Jardine, Matheson&Co About October 24. Shewan & Co...... Oct. 17, at 5 p.m. Manila, via Amoy..... Diamante (s)...... Mossageries Maritimes Oct. 21, at noon. Marseilles, v. Saigon. Saghalien (a)...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Oct. 20, at noon. N'saki, Kobé & Y'hama Collingham (s)..... N'eaki, Kobé & Y'hama Flintshire (s)....... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About October 23. New York, v. Suez.... Guy Mannering (s)..... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About October 18. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About October 28. New York, v. Suez Canal Hankow (s)...... Shewan & Co.......... Quick despatch. New York...... Emma T. Crowell.... Butterfield & Swire... October 28. Port Darwin, &c..... Changsha (s)...... O. & O. S. S. Co...... Oct. 20, at 1 p.m. S. Francisco, v. Japan Gaelio (8)..... Pacific Mail S. S. Co., Oct. 31, at 1 p.m. S. Francisco, v Japan China (8)..... Douglas Lapraik & Co. Oct. 18, at daylight. S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Namoa (8)...... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. Oct. 22, at noon. Trieste, &c.....Orion (s)..... Vancouver (B.C.), &c. Empress of China (a). | Canadian P'fic R. Co. | Nov. 10, at noon.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British steamer Namea reports Left Swatow on the 15th instant, experienced light variable airs and fine pleasant weather to port. Steamers in Swatow,

and Chinotung. MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

Singan, Wenchow, Sungkiang, Kwongsang,

LIST OF VISITORS. Mr and Mrs Dodwell Mulcahy Mr Nicolle and children Mr E. Ormiston Mr Fenwick Hon W. M. Goodman Mr Poate Miss Reading Mr and Mrs Heems- Mr A. Ross kerk and children Mr and Mrs Seip and

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-For London, 7,147 pkgs. Tea, containing 150,087 ibs. Scented Caper, 1,173 pkgs. Tea, containing 24,633 lbs. Scented Orange Pekoe, 367 pkgs. Tea (particulars unknown) -total 8,687 pkgs. containing 174,720 lbs. Tea; 4 pkgs. Silk, 2,658 cases Ginger, 43 cases Chinaware, 2 boxes Soy Beans, 4 cases Curios, 1 case Cigars and 10 cases Sundries. For Amsterdam, 120 casks Ginger.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-

For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUI.-Per Somdetche Phra Nang, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 17th inst.

Per Diamante, at 4.30 p.m., on Saturday, the 17th inst. Swatow October 15, General.—Douglas For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.—

Per Namoa, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 17th inst. For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Collingham, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 20th inst., instead of as previously notified.

For STRAITS, COLOMBO & BOMBAY Per Orion, at 11.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 22nd insta $\it MAIL$ S by the United States Packet.-

The United States Mail Packet Gaclic will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th Instant, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States. Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:--0.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

0.50 P.M. Post Office closes, but Correspondence may be posted on board the Packet, with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure.

Letters Parcels, &c., for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to IL 30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be On New Yorkposted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound up to 12 and 4 o'clock. Local rates will be charged.

To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery | On Shanghai— &c. should be registered.

There will be no Sunday delivery.

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POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The British steamer Diamante reports: | MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.-Had moderate to fresh breeze, with smooth | The French Contract Packet Saghalien will be despatched on WEDNESDAY United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Sottlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylen, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar. The usual hours will be observed in

> closing the Mails, &c. MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.-The German Contract Packet Bayern will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 24th Inst., with Mails for the United Kingdom, Europe and countries beyond, vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

> India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, &c., &c. Registry ceases at 1, r.m. = -The Mail closes at 2 P.M. Late letters ti 1 2.30 with 10 cents extra postage.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS. When the Packets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the

English and French Packets, when they will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M.—Posting of Prices Current and Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may

however be posted up to 10 o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way). 10.00 A.M.-Registry ceases. 10.30 A.M.—Posting of Newspapers,

Books, and Patterns ceases.

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2.45 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association.

General Memoranda. SUNDAY, October 18:-

date subject to rent. HURSDAY, October 22 :--Noon. - Meeting of Shareholders of The the Company's Office. 2.30 p.m.—Auction Sale of Furniture, at Connaught House, Queen's Road.

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HONGRONG, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1891. THE Colony is slowly progressing; that the most important fact in the Acting Governor's message to the Legislative Council. That there should be progress at all, in spite of the mistakes made and the many adverse circumstances, is a sign of the vitality of the Colony. Three years ago when nearly everybody was shouting about the phenomenal development of Hongkong and the maddest schemes were entered into, we warned residents that the growth of the place must be slow; that as long as the interior of China remained closed and traffic was hampered by bad roads and badadministration, trade could not develop fast; and that, as our prosperity was practically bound up in the China trade, it was imperative to 'ca' canny' as the Scotch put it. Our advice was not heeded. Residents, led on by certain interested parties, threw away their money in Quixotio land speculations and in mining and other ventures of a more or less gambling character. Many lakhs of dollars have been lost, some heavy failures have occurred and the amount of ready money in the Colony has been greatly reduced. Yet the colony grows. But, while the steady growth must be regarded as a good sign of that potential power about which so much nousense was talked three years ago, it may not be unnecessary to again sound a nute of warning, even in this time of depression. There i

a tendency, on discovering that affairs are

not so had as was anticipated, to come to

the conclusion that the dangers that lie

around and shead are imaginary, and to

shout full steam shead. Now, the

financial position of the colony, although it

is not so bad as some may have imagin-

ed, is by no means brilliant. The total

sum has been spent in public works. There is therefore an actual deficit on the year of \$250,000. Fortunately there is a balance from previous budgets about sufficient to cover this amount. At the end of this year we start with a clean shoet. What as to the future? We have Goods per Canfa undelivered after this on hand public works, declared by the Governor to be urgently required, the cost of which is estimated at \$2,500,000, which, Canton Insurance Office, Limited, at spread over five years, involves an annual expenditure of \$500,000. On the basis of this year's revenue and ordinary expendi-Goods per Glenorchy undelivered after ture, there will only be the half of this sum available each yacr. Unless therefore the revenue expands, we maust diminish the rate of construction one half, that is spread the works over ten years. which means increasing the actual cost; or we must abandon some of the works or raise a loan. The last alternative will likely be the most popular. But the Colonial Office is very chary about sanctioning a loan. Although it is convenient to regard us as a prosperous colony when an increase of the military contribution is required, a far more critical attitude must be adopted when a loan is spoken of. It is necessary then to think of the expansiveness of the revenue and to consider well the Colony's ability to pay back the loan. And this question of the expansiveness of the revenue is very serious and very difficult. The Acting Governor expects the premis on land sales and the returns from the productive works to swell the revenue to a considerable extent, but he will not hazard a definite opinion. A great deal, he says, depends upon the development of events during the next few months. By this, we suppose, he indicates the uncertainty as to the price that will be obtained for the Opium Farm. If that price fall short by one or two lakhs of the present sum paid, the extra revenue derived from land premis and productive works may be more than swallowed up and the margin for public works reduced.

> condition of the Colony will readily admit that to increase taxation would be a very risky expedient at the present juncture. The financial position of the Colony is, we believe, sound, but, in view of the extra charges placed upon us, economy and pereistent watchfulness must be exercised. The satimates for next year will doubtless soon be presented. We hope the unofficial members will examine them as carefully and as fearlessly as they did last year. If we may be allowed to give a little advice to the Junior Unofficial Member, we would suggest that he might increase his usefulness by dropping a little of the sgin the Government intransigeant attitude. Lattle good will be done by irregular tilting. The matters that are coming before the Council will require the most careful study, and mere squabbling about matters of icrm will do little good. Perhaps the Senior Unofficial Member also might improve his usefulness by getting the Chinese and others 1850 who give him some ideas shout Billia to come to him before the meeting of Council. Business cannot be postponed indefinitely because a Chinese friend of Mr Ryrie's

Governor Des Voux, we know had

come to the opinion that it might

be necessary to increase the taxation, and

his statements about light dues were feelers

in this direction. To those who do not

know the real condition of the Colony, who

judge of it by extravagant statements such

as those made by our late Governor about

our being the first shipping port in the

world, it may appear that we are very

lightly taxed; but those who know the real

goes to Canton.

LOCAL AND GENERAL, PASSED SURE CANAL OUTWARD BOUND :- Koric, August 21; Ethiope, September 1; Anchies, 4; Africa, Thornesale, Zanzibar, 11; Hemeric Flietsbirg 21: Glennhiel. Myrmidon, Pasting, Peshawur, Port Fairy, 25; Poyang, Sikh, 29; Palinu-rus, Sachsen, Pakling, Teviot, Oct. 6. HOMEWARD BOURD :- stronower, Aug. 11 Beatrice, 21; Nestor, Bept. 15; Hindustan, 18; Lydia. 22; Gleneagles, Daphne, 25; Niobe, 29; Kintuck,

Teucer, Ecc, Oot, 2; Djennah, 6. The P. M. S. S. Co's S. s. China, with the AMERICAN MAIL of Sept. 25th, left Yokohama on Wednesday, Oct. 14th, and may be expected here on or about Monday, Oct. 19th. The M. M. Co.'s steamship Natal, with the French Mail of the 18th Sept. left Singapore on Wednesday, October 14, at 6 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 21st Oct. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Aug.

Hongkong on Oct. 4th. The P. and O. s. s. Brindist left Singapore for this port on Oct. 11th, and may be expected here on or about Oct. 17th. The P. & O. steamer Gapation left Singapore for this port on 12th Oct., and may be expected here on or about the 20th of

Canadian Pacific Railway Company's

steamer Empress of China left Vancou-

ver for Yokohama, Shanghai and

The s. s. Flintshire left Singapore on Oct. 18, and may be expected here on or about Oct. 22, The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Thibet left Bombay on Oct. 14th for this port. The P. & O. s. a. Bombay left London for this port on Oct. &

INION CHURCH.—BERVICES II I.M. IND 6 P.M. SUNDEY OCE TORY. Forencen Service :- Hymp, No. 16, Tune. Houghton: Psalm, No. 19, Chapt, Bosper; Anthem, No. 1, Lord, for thy Tonder Mercles Sale; Hymns, No. 815 and 370.

the members of the corps. (Applause.)

seemed to him (Capt, McCallum), however,

proferable to go to some such place as

Deep Water Bay, to which the means of

transit could be casily found. (Applause.)

The corps, he was glad to say, had the

privilege of taking part with the mayal

and military forces in the Jubiles

corps a success. (Applause.)

This concluded the meeting.

SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

(Before Mr E. J. Ackroyd, Acting

Paisne Judge.)

Friday, Oct 16.

MACLEAN V. PITMAN.

sory note. Mr Robinson appeared for the

plaintiff and Mr Rodyk for the defendant.

This was a clain for \$745, on a promis-

His Lordship, in giving judgment, said

the promissory note in question was given

by the defendant to one Joseph Pong

in part payment of certain goods and was

afterwards endorsed over to the plaintiff

Maclean for \$100. On the back of the no e

\$110 this day besides different payments

THE BANKRUPTCY BILL.

The following is the Report of the Law

Committee, one of the Standing Committees

of the Legislative Council of Hongkong,

upon a Bill entitled 'An Ordinance to

amend the Law relating to Bankruptcy ':-

report as follows : --

Your Committee have the honour to

1. This bill was read a second time it.

2. The delay in making this report has

5. The following are the chief amend-

(1) In section 3 the definition of 'pro-

this port on the 16th inst.

THE Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will rack Square to-morrow, commoncing at 7.30 p.m.:

March..... Mercury ...Bucalossi, Laucurs ... The Gondoliers Valse In the Twilight '..... Coote. Polka Post Horn' Quadrilles 'Lights O' London '... Williams. Galop Down the Road ... Huper.

Public Gardens, Monday, commencing at 8.30 p.m.:-

Overture 'The Exiles' Gasaner. Valse Der Morgenstern ... Labitzky. Selection 'Rent. of Donizetti' Godfrey. Gavotte ... Pizzecato Watson.

by the police.

lie was made by the Inspector of Police at Kuala Lepis on the 23rd ultimo for being in possession of about 9 ounces of gold. Company, and sentenced the thief to three months' imprisonment, and further to forfeit the security of \$90, lodged with the Company at the time of granting the license.

A Madrid telegram published in the Comercio says that the new Governor General of the Philippines has been in constant conference with Srs. Canovas del Castillo and Azcarraga regarding the future policy in Mindanao. They have come to the conclusion to adopt a conciliatory policy, to win the sympathy of the people by pacific means and not to exact tribute. The construction of forts on the island has been "decided. General Juan Salcedo has been appointed Governor of Mindanao. This General is the prime mover in the policy Missionary Society. to be adopted in Mindanae. The port will be opened to European trade.

A CORRESPONDENT Writes:—' The Hongkong Branch of the National Temperance League inaugurated the winter session in great form yesterday evening at the Soldiers and Saliors Institute. A large company sat chant Shipping Consolidation Ordinance, down to a most inviting spread at 6.30 p.m. sunny smiles all they could wish. At 7.45 A NEW shipping company has been formed pose the schoolmasters were worse off life of President Garfield. The choir gave Countries and the Dutch East Indies. The pleasant musical selections at intervals and capital is 2,000,000ff, in 2,000 shares of the audience maintained an appreciative and, at times, enthusiastic interest in the subject. The feast of reason ended, and by the aid of aluminium, the powdered Bondfield, a 'flow of sole' ensued toward the supper tables over which a bright and instructive gathering ended.

THE coolies are still threatening to fight on \ pecuniary difference to them, and in the be tried in France. In anticipation of the long run they must profit by them; but foc. There seems to be some evil-disposed It might be worth the while of the Government to consider whether the banishment ordinance might not be put in force. The latest rumour is that the head men are gathering together a large quantity of rice insure. and are to camp the coolies at Kowloon, With a little firmness however we are per suaded the trouble may be got over.

When the announcement was made that the proposal to appoint a Chinese Consul in Hongkong was withdrawn, we gave the which proves that the conspicuous success Foreign Office credit for having realised that Hougkong stood in such a position from the Raffles Museum premises has towards the Chinese that it would be impo- naturally received the flattering homage of litic to establish a Chinese consulate here. Quinn, anding a Chinaman industriously at It appears however from the correspondence work in his quarters considerably after published yesterday that it was the Chinese working hours, suspected something and was carried. authorities who kicked. They considered it the Chinaman was busy with the trowel beneath their dignity to appoint a Consul and some mortar, but in a short time he on probation, and as the Foreign Office was seen to cut away a piece of lead and Chinese Government refused to make the confederate, four pieces of lead weighing confederate, four pieces of lead weighing held at Head-quarters yesterday evening.

Special contents and his the confederate of the thief and his the delivery of this corps was confederate. One cannot but approve of the arrest of the thief and his the delivery of the samual meeting of this corps was confederate. One cannot but approve of the arrest of the thief and his the delivery of the samual meeting of this corps was confederate. One cannot but approve of the arrest of the thief and his the delivery of the samual meeting of this corps was confederate. the dignified conduct of the Chinese in morning Inspector Quinn in the witness- presided, and the other officers present concessions which are productive of more aged his famiture. The prisoners were fact which was referred to with disapill-feeling than a total refusel. There are sentenced to four months and two months' cases in which it is impossible to give China imprisonment respectively. the full privileges wi other nations because we hold her customs and her laws as barbarous. If China ask these privileges, the best course is to firmly refuse. To give with one hand and take back with another, creates more friction in the long run and lows :-produces in China the impression that we are afraid to incur her displessure—a feeling Dr. Lowson (Capt.) which tends to increase the arrogance of Ross-Thomson the officiale and people.

Tue Straits Goschungent has decided to T. Osborne, E.K. lasue a Covernment Gazette in Chinese, for T. W. Lammert the information of the Chinese community W. Taylor who do not read English.

H. M. S. Ploter arrived to-day from Foo- Ir is very gratifying to hear that the new Gambling Ordinance has proved an efficient Messre Dodwoll, Carlill & Co. inform us but the trade of the gambling-house keeper Lookhart, Registrar General, presided, and the nuthorities to close the ranges as had that the s. s. Flintshire left Singapore for has been made so risky that few date to there were also present :-Hon. F. take up the business. That the relative A. Copper, Acting Surveyor Gen-edly a great inconvenience; and the good order prevailing in the Colony is eral; Mr G. Horspool, Acting Captain partly due to this there can be no doubt. Superintendent of Police, Mr J. J. Francis, play the following programme at the Bar- Never before was there such an absence of Q.C., Dr Cautlie, Mr J. D. Humphreys sorious crime. Of course we must not and Mr H. McCallum, Sanitary Superinimagine that we have changed the hearts of | tendent. the Chinese roughs and therefore relax our cause they are well watched. But it is read intimating the following provisional rations on the occasion of the field day on satisfactory to know that the watchfulness is not fruitless. It is annoying that the good work done in Hongkong should be Brown; Hon. F. A. Cooper, Acting Surneutralised by the gambling houses in the neighbouring Chinese territory. The Government deserves credit for having forcibly drawn the attention of the Chinese authorities to the evil; that their reabsenting himself from his ship, the Amewar fear to expect total suppression, the

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absenting himself from his ship the letter which had rican barque Harvard, yesterday, and refusing to go on board. Mr Moir, Superintendent of the Sailors' Home, said the by constant remonstrances the evil may be tendent of the Sailors' Home, said the by constant remonstrances the evil may be that have a polar to the research of the sailors' Home, said the by constant remonstrances the evil may be that have a polar to the research of the sailors' Home, said the by constant remonstrances the evil may be that have a polar to their late were given the Maxim guns which had brought to the Protectorate. In spite of brought defendant signed articles on the 13th and kept from assuming huge proportions that he was no longer among them, that his got an advance of \$20, but refused to go on There is a sentence in the Governor's reboard. He was ordered to be put on board marks about this subject which is very his health would have been recruited for the ambiguous. He says:— Myrepresentations | further labours of his office. He thought | have been met by the Chiness authorities | every member of the Bosic would agree WE are informed by the Secretary of the with a laudable desire io co-operate, and kindly, courteous, and honest and straight-Punjom Company that the arrest of a coo-stringent measures have been taken by forward in every way. They might stringent measures have been taken by them to attain the desired object, but I Surveyor General, but he doubted very regret to say that the main difficulty in much if they would get a more trate ordered the gold to be returned to the the shelter and facilities afforded to the vincible good humour. Mr Francis then gamblers by the neighbourhood of Hong-

> THE Legislative Council mosts on Monday in regard to the late president of the next. The business and orders of the day Board. are as follows :-

Financial Minutes. Report of the Finance Committee, No. 9)

Second reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance for the Incorporation of the Senior Missionary in Hongkong of the London

Third reading of the Bill entitled An Ordinance to amend the Law relating to Bankruptcy.

Committee on the Bill entitled The Prepared Opium Ordinanco, 1891. Committee on the Bill entitled The Raw Opium Amendment Ordinance, 1891. Committee on the Bill entitled The Mer-

Mr Goldsmith took the chair and read the ing a line of steamers between the Low homes.

PHOTOGRAPHS are being made in Austria encouraged by a cheery invite from Mr metal being burnt in the flame of an alcohol lamp in a manner similar to magnesium. It burns more slowly than magnesium, and in combination with elements that give off oxygen it produced an extremely actinic light without smoke. Great interest is being manifested in the results and experiments are to be continued

to insure against damage done by frost. It the head men, who doubless squeeze the is calculated that the annual loss during coolies, are under the impression that the inclement weather to agriculture and their perquisites will be interfered with and and for that reason the subject is being that it is intended to charge a exhaustively discussed. During the depth of last winter fourteen French rivers were frozen over, and in consequence the trade party spreading mischievous rumours, and on their banks was at a complete standstill. The principle on which the system will be worked is somewhat surfous. Each district will be tested according to its mean temperature for some thirty years, with the average of frost days. Applicants will have the option of choosing a degree at which to

> THE Singapore Free Press of 6th inst. says :- For cool audacity and daring in his larcenies the 'Heathen Chines is peculiar. For some time past it seems that robberies of lend from the roofs of various Government Buildings have been taking place, of the artist who recently occupied several consecutive Sundays in stripping the lead

H.R. C. C. V. TOOTBALL CLUB. The above match will commence at. a.m. to-morrow. The teams are as fol-

Pootball Club. F. Maitland A. J. Campbell (91st) G. G. Boyle, E. A. E. G. Young, R.E. H. A. Williams (91st) E. C. Ellis W. Newton G. H. Potts G. E. Tayerner J. S. Ezekiel H. T. S. Green

THE SANITARY BOARD. A meeting of the Sanitary Board was that Kowloon was now getting to be so held this afternoon. Hon J. H. Stewart populous a place that they could hardly ask

Review in the beginning of the year, at of the Board, vice the late Hon. Samuel Hon. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart.

Mr Francis strongly objected to the Board's Surveyor being made Vice-President. The first thing to be done was to relieve that gentleman of his duties as an officer of the Board, but as usual every. thing was done backwards.

totally suppressing the evil there, (in the He presided at the meetings of the Board neighbouring Chinese towns) arises from with great discretion and tact and inmembers of the Board regret extremely the kong and the ensy means of transport. We sudden and unexpected demise of our late should say that the difficulty arises from president and desire to place on record our the shelter given to the gamblers, not in the management of the business of Hongkong, but in the Chinese towns and the Boar and his invariable courtesy and

to the facilities for gambling afforded kindness. Mr Humphreys seconded. The President said they certainly all heartily agreed with the expressions of regret which Mr Francis had made use of

> The resolution was carried. THE UNREALTHINESS OF THE SCHOOLHOUSE was the following memorandum :-- 'Paid The Committee's report on this subject | before-John Pitman, 8th June 1890. was laid on the table. The following The defendant alleged that different payminute by Mr Francis was attached:— ments had been made directly to Joseph 'It is clear from the report that Pong and to his agents on account of this the lives and health of these school- debt and that there remained nothing due masters have been secrificed to the on the note. His Lordship after going into ignorance and incompetence of government | the accounts between Pong and the defen-

> officials, in failing to provide suitable dant, said nothing could exceed the carelessschoolhouse accommodation at Stanley, ness which the defendant had shown in this matter with respect to the paymonts he had and that it is not the fault of the locality. The President suggested that the report made. No allowance was to be made for him on account of this carelessness, but on be forwarded to the Colonial Secretary. Mr Francis—With a strong expression of the other hand the proofs he produced were opinion that the Inspector of Schools or entitled to the ordinary consideration. the Surveyor General should have found From these proofs and the fact that he did out long ago what was the matter. It did not believe Pong would have accepted \$100 not need a reference to the Sanitary Board. for the pote if there was \$745 dee on it,

> his Lordship came to the conclusion that It has been going on for ten years. Mr Humphreys thought it was perhaps the balance due on the note was \$124, for the trouble of coming in to Victoria that which sum the plaintiff got judgment, no made the cases serious. He did not sup order being made as to costs.

Mr Francis said surely the Government should either provide medical attendance there by its servants or the means of bringing the patients to got it. Mr Horspool mentioned that medicines

were often supplied from the police station there as at the other villages. Dr Canthe said he understood the only medicine supplied from the police station, was quinine and that was due rather to

Council on the 8th December, 1890, and the goodwill of the Inspector than to inwas referred to the above Committee for struction from the Government. thought the case strengthened the argument | report on the 30th January last. in favour of the establishment of small disbeen due to various causes, but chiefly to Mr Humphreys objected to the strong changes in the constitution of the Compensaries at these outside villages. terms used in Mr Francis' minute, which he mittee and to the pressure of other work;

of August last. Your Committee held its The mortality returns for the fortnight final meeting to approve this Report on the showed one death from cholera. The Superintendent explained that this 8th October, 1891. 3. Your Committee have annexed to this was the case of a man who had just come Report a printed copy of the Bill (which will also be circulated with this Report from Canton and who was at once sent to

the Civil Hospital, where he died. THE TAITAM WATER SERVICE. Dr Captlie moved as follows :-That the Board, in accordance with the information conveyed in the report of the

Government Analyst as to the condition of the Tai-tam and Pok-fu-lam waters, make the following recommendations :plied with pipes whereby the water Report. from the streams can be carried direct-

ments which have been made :ly into the conduit as in the case of the Pok-fu-lam works. That sand of a quality such as the Government Analyst recommends be obtained for the filter-beds.

C. That the Tai-tam service reservoir be covered as early as possible. These, he said, were the three salient points brought out in the Government Analyst's report, and if the Board were to be guided by the analyst they must agree to what was suggested in the report. Mr Humphroys seconded and the motion

The Board adjourned for a fortnight.

HONGKONG ARTILLERY VOLUN-

The annual meeting of this corps was siastic volunteers present, as it was taken to indicate a very regrettable diminution

of interest in the corps. Capt. McCallum in moving the adoption of the accounts for the year remarked that the corps started this season in a very good position financially, as they had \$314 to the good. Referring to the work of last meason he expressed regret that the Boxing Day outing, which used to be very popular, brought out a smaller muster last year thun in the two years immediately preceding. Lieutenant Denson reporting that although he had obtained a definite promise from 55 men, only 27 turned up. Lieut. Denson's report contained a recommendation that the date of this field day should be altered from Boxing Day to the now year holiday, a suggestion which he thought would probably command itself to as one of the terms of immunity from it is carried on to a greater extent.

dobtor's property (5) In section 24 the words has ab-

read intimating the ionowing provisional rations on the occasion of the field day on section which is now numbered (2) enthese 'Koons' consist of one hundred or yet he was wise enough to depend for his more members each, and the smaller ones strategy upon Moltke, the great thinker appointments:—Hon. J. H. Stewart- 11th April, and with regard to the way in abling the Court to call upon the Bankrupt more members each, and the smaller ones strategy upon Moltke, the great thinker appointments:—Hon. J. H. Stewart- 11th April, and with regard to the way in abling the Court to call upon the Bankrupt more members each, and the smaller ones at a bling the Court to call upon the Bankrupt of a hundred or even between and planner, the 'organiser of victory.' which the corps worked then he had re- to come up tot discounting which he and twenty. As a matter of fact, The advantage conferred by book know-ceived a letter from Col. Jerrard expressing apply himself within a reasonable time, and ten and twenty. As a matter of fact, The advantage conferred by book knowceived a letter from Con Jerrard expressing apply minisch which their appearance gave your Committee think this a very desirable however, a Koon is a Kongsi, and a ledge of war, by military study, is often dis-

ne thought that, unless at the end of no- misdemeanours under the Ordinanse and in he summoved all the brothel keepers be- before he had ever seen a shot fired in vember he had fifty men that he could rely case of proof of certain facts to refuse to he summoved all the brothel keepers be-

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co-operate with the officers in making the (f) as amended, and your Committee think | tor is no doubt to protect the inmates of | with all the partially trained young soldiers that this power to deal summarily with the brothels from extortion, but it is a pity eliminated, and replaced by the reserve Lieut. Holmes seconded the adoption of a Bankrupt should be at least retained in that no benefit results from the action soldiers who had been trained in previous the accounts and the motion was carried which are similar to the facts in the Ordin- ton are taking rigorous measures to severely perceive that henceforward the destinies of ance of 1864 and have accordingly inserted punish the burglars and evil-doers in that Europe would no longer be controlled by

suspend the order of discharge.

(10) In sections 42 and 65 sub-sections | wicked intentions when there is no police-

ing regard to the power to suspend or and act upon our suggestion the public will refuse the order of discharge where 50 be able to sleep in peace.—Singapore Free

per cent. is not paid. (12) Section 84 is new and is incorporated so as to place the law on the same footing with the English Acts which contain a corresponding repeal. (13) In Schedule B a slight increase in 1 the scale of fees has been made on the suggestion of the Acting Registrar of |

the Court. 6. Your Committee has also made various alterations in language and corrections of obvious errors to which they do not think it necessary to draw particular attention.

Dated the 8th October, 1891. ANDREW J. LEACH. Acting Attorney General. W. MEIGH GOODMN, Acting Colonial Secretary. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Registrar Generali Ho KAL.

THE SECRET SOCIETIES IN THE STRAITS. (Translated from the Lat Paul.)

J. J. Keswick.

embrace every kind of property and to activity displayed by them in such matters. task. The life of many a celebrated soldier

on the making of a receiving order how could there be so many primes com- truly and eminently a strong man-strong creditors were in effect prohibited mitted? At the present time the inmates in his convictions, and not ashamed of from continuing or commencing any of the brothels in Kreta Ayer are liable them, or afraid to make his nation fight for section or taking out execution except to pay an illegal blackmail which they them when necessary. by leave of the Court for which they commonly call Samueng Fee. When The place Moltke held in the world was of the primary geological formations. would apparently have to make special a woman is redeemed by her para. not of such dezzling height as that occupied would spintedly neve to make special a woman to perfect one brothel to by Prince Bismarck. His part was quiet contains no trace of man.—Life. provides that on the making of a spother, a number of rowdies are sure to and unobtrusive. To those who knew him provides that on the making of a should, a manufacture of well personally, he was endeared as a God- contains a cigarette pocket. But I don't receiving order the Court is by the come and demand from her the payment of well personally, he was endeared as a God- contains a cigarette pocket. But I don't receiving order the Court is by the come and deep and the same of money, and this is what is fearing man, full of real piely and deep smoke eigerettes. Oh, well, then, the receiving order to direct whether any a certain sum of money, and this is what is fearing man, full of real piely and deep smoke eigerettes. Oh, well, then, the receiving order to direct whether any a curtain sum of money, and the same fee. The word aincere faith in his Maker. The hater of pocket can hold the money you may by not action, &c. is to be stayed and if stay- termed the Samseng Fee. The word and of electron some back more like. action, occ. is to se stayed and it stay. Samseng is a local expression meaning a cant and of claptrap copy-book morality, smoking them. - Men's Outsider. cluding the requirement that the rowdy who has no regular occuration to be did not fear to shed blood when it was pearance and obedience to all orders varies according to the circumstances of German people. He believed it to be right of the Court in the relation to his the woman concerned, but in no case is a land just to do so in such a cause, as it had the down Make a many cause indepths and of last than two or three delicants. bankruptey. In many cases under the sum of less than two or three dollars ac. been for God's chosen people of old in the payable of the demand of the Samsengs' sense, his heroic spirit held in supreme value of the demand of the Samsengs' sense, his heroic spirit held in supreme value of the sense of persecution the demand of the Samsengs' sense, his heroic spirit held in supreme value of the sense of persecution the demand of the Samsengs' sense, his heroic spirit held in supreme value of the sense of persecution the demand of the samsengs' sense, his heroic spirit held in supreme value of the sense of persecution the demand of the samsengs' sense, his heroic spirit held in supreme value of the sense o and got protection from arrest almost persecution the demand of the Samsongs some, his heroic spirit held in supreme as a matter of course. Having got is always complied with, and in course of contempt the unctuous humbrg to which as a matter of course. traving got is stways comprise with, and to course of public life treats herself, said Danboy to his wife, who had protection he did nothing more and time this illegal fee developes into a general the modern Pharises of public life treats herself, said Danboy to his wife, who had protection he did nothing more and time this megative develops into a general the people so copiously. He shuddered as been repealing something he didn't want took no steps for the proper realization and the people so copiously. He shuddered as been repealing something he didn't want took no steps for the proper realigation of his assets or the handing over of his property for the benefit of his or a considerable length of time, and or for a considerable length of time, and on for a considerable length of time, and that Moltha was the beside of the contract of the creditors and his pension had really on the a commencency rought or and, and but Moltke was the brain, of the Ger- opinion of her husband. Detroit Trees errest and was not a bond fide applica- to the influence of the dangerous societies man army in 1870. In the ermies of Press.

provision requiring security to be have now been suppressed, but instead of the lingto, and of Napoleon the thinking and given for the debter's due appearance extertion being discontinued, we find that the execution were both done by the one

rendering of account and the discovery were only a few dangerous societies in with the vast armies now sent into the and handing over to the Trustee of the Singapore, and a prostitute removing or field. A Charles XII., a Peter, or a marrying as above mentioned was liable Frederick the Great are not often given to to pay the fee to only one or two Kong- the Royal line of any nation. In the wars sis. But after the suppression the Sam, which converted the King of Prussia into similar words have been introduced sengs who were formerly attached to the Emperor of Germany the head of the amount the Imperial Act of 1883 by the societies had nothing to depend upon, so army was a grand old leader, with all the they formed themselves into small bodies best instincts of the soldier at heart, and (6) The next important amendment is in and hired houses at Kreta Ayer as places thought as a fighting soldier who thoroughof meeting, calling them 'Koons' in- ly knew the science of war and was most The first amendment is by adding a sub- stead of Kongsis. The larger ones of conversant with every phase of its art. But section which is now numbered (2) en- these 'Koons' consist of one hundred or yet he was wise enough to depend for his

the satisfaction which their appearance gave your commission than a well as Kongsi is a 'Koon,' the difference lies cussed. I frequently hear the idle as well as Major-General Barker. It was a matter amendment to meet cases where the Bank- Kongsi is a 'Koon,' the difference lies cussed. I frequently hear the idle as well as for regret however that the heavy gun rupt has committed misdemeanours or only in the name and nothing more. The ignorant assert—to excuse their laziness competition had to be abandoned last sea- other offences against the Bankruptcy Law New that there are so many 'Konna' at and want of application—that one grain of competition had to be abandoned last aca- some one of the like- Kreta Ayer extertion has naturally in experience is worth a ton weight of military son and that there was so small a turnout and knowing he has done so is not like- Kreta Ayer extertion has naturally in experience is worth a ton weight of military were again offered the privilege of taking As originally drafted sub-section 2 now brothel has to pay the 'Samseng Fee' career is the most positive denial to this were again onered the privilege of taking the originally district an object of the bodies of men. This evil assertion, and should point a moral to all part with the military. These very small sub-section 3 required the Court to refuse to eight or ten bodies of men. This evil assertion, and should point a moral to all part with time military. These very small sub-section of required the Court of practice is well known to the Protector of who seek to rise in our atmy. He was musters were extremely discouraging, and to discharge the Bankrupt in all cases of practice is well known to the Protector of who seek to rise in our atmy. He was musters were extremely discouraging, and to discussive the Dadarupe in an once of places is not about to the Trotestor of who seek to rise in our army. Ho was he thought that, unless at the end of No- misdemeanours under the Ordinance and in Chinese, and at the latter part of last year placed at the head of the General Staff.

tioned, nowever, it they would find the strong in Danaruptey, and power in vide of Chinago as a lattice step issued a pro- conditions of the day. There working of the Maxim guns so interesting Bankruptcy proceedings to deal summarily clamation warning the Samsengs' against secret of his success in war. There Batisfaction of the Judge.

The facts required to be proved by the The Protector of Chinese is unable to do by means of which a small peace army full

the facts mentioned in section 27 (4) (a) to dead letter. The intention of the Protection and a war army of immense proportions, respect of the facts therein mentioned taken. At present the Authorities in Can- years. Moltke was amongst the first to

(8) In section 35 relating to distress for fraternities here are probably known to national aims and aspirations. rent the period of 'one year' has been them, they are admitted into their Societies altered to 'six months' in accordance and before a month has passed after their with what was suggested on the second arrival they begin to make their presence

reading of the Bill and the alteration felt by causing disturbances and other made in the Imperial Act of 1883 by troubles to the public. Our police should know this and attempt to check their pro-(9) The changes effected in sections 18 gress. In our opinion, however, it is useand 39 are purely technical and are less to increase the number of policemen rendered necessary by the difference and detectives on duty at Kreta Ayer. between the mode of executing decrees The evil-doers being bent on the comand orders in England and the mode mission of crime certainly employ prescribed by the Code of Civil Pro- people to watch the movements of the Police, and they only carry out their opened for regular traffic

have been added which are contained man on the scene. Sometimes one or two in the English Acts but were omitted of them are arrested, but this makes no in the original Bill and which your difference to the others, who are so numer-Committee think should be inserted. | ous in numbers. The best way, therefore, (11) In section 82 sub-section 5, which to entirely clear the Settlement of them is provides that in case a Bankrupt's to find out the places where they congregate estate shall not yield 50 per cent. on and hide themselves, and to pounce upon the unsecured debts unless the jury is them when they are in full force. It is, of satisfied that the insolvency arose rom | course, very difficult to do this, but if the misfortune and not extravagance, spe- matter is put into the hands of an energetic culation, &c., the Eankrupt is to be and persevering official we believe that it deemed guilty of a misdemeanour and will eventually be carried out with success. punishable accordingly the amount has We surnestly hope that the above will be been reduced to 25 per cent. which carefully perused by the officers of the your Committee think sufficient hav- Police, and if they give it due consideration

> LORD WOLSELEY ON MOLTKE AS A STRATEGIST.

In the current number of the United Service Magazine appears the first instalment of an article on Moltke, by Lord Wolseley. Appended are a few of the more interesting passages :--

If in our own days it were required to illustrate the fact that it is individual men of action who make history, who shape the Younghusband reports the winter has destiny of nations, and initiate the great movements which constitute the history of his last letter being written in a snowstorm, man, one could not do better than name He will be compelled, therefore, to leave Prince Bismarck, Field Marshal Von Motke, soon for Kashmir. and King Frederick William of Prussia. Is it to be supposed that any amount of think. ing, or of philosophical writing, could ever now stated to have gone so far in connechave created the new Germany of to-day? tion with his proposed visit to England as Whose work is that great and potent reali- to issue a proclamation to his subjects, anty, the Empire of Gormany? Surely it is nouncing the probability of such a journey the handiwork of those three great men of and exhorting them to loyalty during his

action. That it should be the work of absence. a trinity, and not of one leader, marks it out from the other great national preations of any one generation. With- Coimbatore has just given judgment in the amongst the members of Council) snowing | Since the unique outsides in bulks | draw from that trinity any one of the appeal case preferred by the Rev. Mr in italics the amendments they have made | pore have been suppressed by Government, draw from that trinity any one of the appeal case preferred by the Rev. Mr pore have seen suppressed by deverament, that the power of three who constituted it, and I do not Bird, a missionary, against the judgment the turbulent classes has been minimised, believe the Germany we know would be of the munsiff in what is known as the perial Bankruptcy Act, 1883, and its and that the public can sleep in peace. in existence to-day. Each had his own Coimbatore conversion case, principles and the changes in the law pro- But, unfortunately, this has not been the great and special function. My present principles and the changes in the law pro- Dut, unfortunately, this has not been the contrary there is contern is alone with the character and the trouble gross was a major or over sixmore trouble in the Settlement than work of Von Moltke, the great strategist in teen, and not thirteen only as held by the the following recommendations:

A: That the Tai-tam waterworks be supdeemed necessary to repert them in this when the Kongsis were in existence. Alas! that trinity, and no man in his day has munsiff, and set aside the judgment of the deemed necessary to repert them in this when the Kongsis were in existence. Alas! here makes a history makes. In May less the following recommendations:

| A: That the Tai-tam waterworks be supdeemed necessary to repert them in this when the Kongsis were in existence. Alas! here makes a history makes. We cannot, however, say that the Govern- all Germans bewailed the loss of their great Mr Bird with costs in both courts. ment have not been strict enough in general, as 'all Judah and Jerusalem dealing with the Societies, as we have an mourned for Josiah.' To write about him example, in the Tong Beng case, of the is a congenial and, in one sense, an easy

place it more on the lines of the Eng- In carrying through this case informers has a dark as well as a bright side to it. were extensively employed to bring about The splendour of glorious achievements is the arrest of all the important members of often tarnished by conduct never to be exand Registers have been auded.

(2) In section 4 (e) and (g) slight amend. the Society, and we cannot therefore accuse plained away. Meanness, incincerity, un- of them.—Galveston News. the Government with negligence or lack of truthfulness, self-seeking, overbearing inby altering the section in accordance strictness. In face of such rigorous mea- solence, or cruelty can be laid at the door with the Imperial Amendment Act sures the societies in Singapore, if there of many of the world's greatest leaders. of 1890 and in the other to make the are any, should be awe-stricken and keep But Moltke's light shope before men from thomselves quiet, but instead of this, the first to last with a clear, unclouded ray, sub-section more defined.

(3) In section 6 the amount for which a commission of crime is more frequent, and and no shadows, no clouds, dim the lustre bottle waitress? New Girl—It seems as if I creditor may present a bankruptcy there are more cases of extortion, fighting of his fame. Moltke will be remembered, petition is increased from \$200 to \$300 and wounding in the Police Courts than not only as the great strategist, but as the petition is increased from \$200 to \$300 and wounding in the police and increased from \$200 to \$300 and wounding in the public and increased from \$200 to \$300 and wounding in the public ardent patriot, devoted to duty. Foremost affairs is to keep the brass band from mistor make it correspond more nearly to before the Kongsis were dissolved. We ardent patriot, devoted to duty. Foremost affairs is to keep the brass band from mistor make it correspond more nearly to before the Kongsis were dissolved. We ardent patriot, devoted to duty. to make it correspond more nearly to perore the district as an amongst the champions of German unity, taking itself for the entire procession, the English Act 1883 which states that can take the Kreta Ayer district as an amongst the champions of German unity, taking itself for the entire procession. the amount shall be £50, and similarly instance. Apart from the street rows that he can never be forgotten by those who - Washington Star. in sub-section 1 (c) the period of six occur there every day, cases of robbery and love the honour and greatness—that is, the assault are most numerous, and if there military renown-of their Katherland. In (4) Under section 10 as originally drawn were no Secret Societies in that district this age of maudin invertebraics, he was

tion. Your Committee think that the that it existed. These societies, however, Marlborough, Frederick the Great, of Wel-The following, we believe, is the reason must go into the field as the Commandersome effect in stoppin : fictitious bank- of the present state of things. Before the in-Chief, the separation of the brain and ruptoics and in accuring the proper passing of the Societies Ordinance there soul can be seldem avoided in the future

old Ordinance are almost identical with more, and the proclamation has become a of recruits could be suddenly converted a proviso 27 (5) with this object which is province, and at Hongkong gambling is highly drilled standing armies of moderate to be in addition to the power to refuse or strictly prohibited, and the professional proportions, and composed of men always gamblers are urgently 'wanted' by the kept with the colours. He also clearly (7) In section 34 sub-section (b) an Police. These fellows, finding that Hong- foresaw that the railroads, the electric. alteration from \$250 to \$300 has been kong and China are too hot for them, telegraph, and steamships favoured the made to make the amount correspond escape to Singapore to get out of the meshes grand offensive strategy of Napoleon, and with the amount of £50 mentioned in of the law; and as we believe that the would, in the future, enable whole nations majority of the members of the same to take the field to accomplish their

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